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Title: TECHNIQUES FOR SYNCHRONIZING  
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Sir:

Enclosed herewith is the original, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted mailed March 27, 2001. Please file this document in the subject application.

Applicant hereby request a one month(s) extension of time in which to respond to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted mailed March 27, 2001. Enclosed is our Check No. 11400 for \$990.00 in payment of the filing fee, excess claims fee, surcharge, and one-month(s) extension fee for a Large Entity. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due to our Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. DIGIP023).

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